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***"AN ACT CONCERNING COMPREHENSIVE CAMPAIGN FINANCE
REFORM FOR STATE-WIDE CONSTITUTIONAL AND GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OFFICES."***

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective January 1, 2006*) (a) No candidate
4 committee established by the chief executive officer of a town, city or
5 borough who is a candidate for any public office shall accept a
6 contribution from a principal of a municipal contractor or prospective
7 municipal contractor.

8 (b) As used in this section:

9 (1) "Municipal contract" means an agreement or contract with a
10 municipality or an agency of the municipality for (A) the rendition of
11 personal services, (B) the furnishing of any material, supplies or
12 equipment, (C) the construction, alteration or repair of any public
13 building or public work, (D) the acquisition, sale or lease of any land

14 or building, (E) a licensing arrangement, or (F) a grant, loan or loan
15 guarantee.

16 (2) "Municipal contractor" means a person, business entity or
17 nonprofit organization that enters into a municipal contract. Such
18 person, business entity or nonprofit organization shall be deemed to be
19 a municipal contractor until the termination of said contract.
20 "Municipal contractor" does not include a political subdivision of the
21 municipality or an employee of the municipality, only in such person's
22 capacity as a municipal employee.

23 (3) "Prospective municipal contractor" means a person, business
24 entity or nonprofit organization that (A) submits a bid in response to a
25 bid solicitation by a municipality or an agency of the municipality, or a
26 proposal in response to a request for proposals by the municipality or
27 such agency, until the contract has been entered into, or (B) holds a
28 valid prequalification certificate issued by the Commissioner of
29 Administrative Services under section 4a-100. "Prospective municipal
30 contractor" does not include a political subdivision of the municipality
31 or an employee of the municipality, only in such person's capacity as a
32 municipal employee.

33 (4) "Principal of a municipal contractor or prospective municipal
34 contractor" means (A) an individual who is a member of the board of
35 directors of, or has an ownership interest in, a municipal contractor or
36 prospective municipal contractor, which is a business entity, except for
37 an individual who (i) owns less than five per cent of the shares of any
38 such municipal contractor or prospective municipal contractor that is a
39 publicly traded corporation, or (ii) is a member of the board of
40 directors of a nonprofit organization qualified under Section 501(c)(3)
41 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent
42 corresponding internal revenue code of the United States, as from time
43 to time amended, (B) an individual who is employed by a municipal
44 contractor or prospective municipal contractor, which is a business
45 entity, as president, treasurer or executive or senior vice-president, (C)
46 an individual who is the chief executive officer of a municipal

47 contractor or prospective municipal contractor, which is any other
48 person, (D) an employee of any municipal contractor or prospective
49 municipal contractor who has managerial or discretionary
50 responsibilities with respect to a municipal contract, (E) the spouse or a
51 dependent child of an individual described in this subdivision, or (F) a
52 political committee established by or on behalf of an individual
53 described in this subdivision."